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ANNOUNCEMENTS
For Congress

We are authorized to announce
HON. J. W. HENSON
as a candidate for the Democratic
nomination for Congress for the
Second Congressional District,
subject to the action of the primary
to be held in August, 1914.

We are authorized to announce
HON. DAVID H. KINCHELOE,
of Hopkins county, as a candidate
for Congress from the Second district,
subject to action of the democratic
primary August, 1914.

The old idea that a Mexican won't
fight seems to have been exploded.
Some of them will.

The Chicago Council has 40 Dem-
ocrats, 21 Republicans, 6 Progress-
ives and 3 Independents.

The Muhlenberg papers have little
to say about the "Possum Hunter"
outrages, reported in the Courier-
Journal.

Cy Warman, the poet, who wrote
the love song "Sweet Marie," died
in Chicago Tuesday, of paralysis,
aged 79 years.

Women voters of Illinois closed
10,000 saloons and voted 16 counties
dry by throwing the bulk of their
votes to the dry side.

A foolish lover at Moline, Ill.,
evened up things with the girl who
jilted him by shooting a bullet hole
through her picture and then killing
himself. Much better way than killing
the girl.

A Chicago judge has decided
against a young man who sued a
fickle girl to recover his engagement
ring. The court held that when he
lost the girl he lost all presents and
appurtenances that went with her.

Fayette county is to try the exper-
iment of moonlight schools. There
are said to be 5,000 illiterates in the
county, most of them colored. Mrs.
Cora Wilson Stewart started the
movement with an address at Lex-
ington.

At New Albany, Miss., Jas. Han-
cock loaded his wedding presents in-
to a wagon, but before he and his
bride got into the vehicle the team
ran away, scattering the presents
all over town and finally colliding
with a train, both horses being killed.
The horses' loped.

To-morrow is to be mission day in
the 30 Baptist churches of Muhlen-
berg county. The country members
are asked to give the value of eggs
laid on Sunday for six Sundays, and
the ladies who do not raise fowls are
asked to reduce the price of spring
hats or dresses 50 cents to \$1.00
and give the amount saved to mis-
sions.

Between January 1 and April 1
thirty-eight aviators in all parts of
the world lost their lives. The United
States, with five killed, stands
fourth in the list, which France leads,
with ten dead. Germany lost eight
in the same period, Great Britain
seven, Turkey three and Chile, Spain,
Argentina, Switzerland and Italy one each.

All London is talking of the daring
recently exhibited by Countess of
Dudley, always known as a rather
timid member of court society. The
countess threw a number of her
friends into convulsions or very near-
ly so, by making a flight with Gus-
tav Hamels, who caused his machine
to loop-the-loop five times while they
were in the air. Hamels established
a record by describing most of the
loops while only 200 feet from the
ground.

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setting of fifteen. R. C. LAWSON,
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Advertisement.

MADE THE PROFESSOR GASP

New York Scholar Probably Will
Frame Check Received for High-
Class Literary Work.

A New York professor of lan-
guages is wondering these days how
writers ever manage to make a living
out of literature.

Some months ago he was asked
by the compilers of a new encyclo-
pedia to contribute an essay on the
Sanskrit language, condensing all
possible information on the subject
into a few brief paragraphs.

He decided that, for such a work
as an encyclopedia, he must be very
sure of his data, so he looked up some
reference books he wanted, could not
find them, and sent to Europe for
them, at the expense of \$15.

Then he wrote his thesis. But
when it was finished he realized that
it was far beyond the allotted space.
It took him nearly a week to perform
the hard task of boiling down his
manuscript without cutting out im-
portant items. Finally he was able
to turn in the fruit of his labors in
the required form.

A few days since he received a
courteous letter of thanks from the
editors, who complimented him on
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How Lawyers' Junior Appraised Em-
ployers of His Unfortunate
Physical Condition.

A junior clerk in a lawyers' office
who was off duty owing to toothache
apprised his employers of the stern
fact.

"To my well-beloved and learned
employers, Messieurs Hanke and
Panke, greeting. Whereas twelve
calendar months after my birth teeth
began to make their appearance
through my gums, and whereas such
teeth subsequently developed to ma-
turity, and whereas one of such teeth
began to ache at ten of the clock in
the evening of yesterday, and where-
as such aching has continued without
intermission since the hour last here-
inbefore mentioned, and whereas I
have not closed my optical lumina-
ries since such said hour, and where-
as all remedies applied for the relief
of the said aching have failed to pro-
duce the result hoped for and ex-
pected therefrom, and whereas my
physical condition is now such as to
unfit me for the arduous labors of
your office: therefore it is meet and
just that I refrain from attendance
at the office aforesaid until such time
as my physical condition will permit
of such attendance."

GREAT ACTOR DIDN'T SCORE

Question Whether Joke in This Case
Was on Booth or the Critic Who
"Roasted" Him.

Edwin Booth was a great actor.
That is universally conceded. Mr.
Booth, however, never gained any
laurels as a mimic, if we are to be-
lieve a story told of him many years
ago in the West.

It was on the occasion of a benefit
given to Junius Brutus Booth.

A well-known actor was giving
imitations of theatrical celebrities,
and in his repertoire was an imper-
sonation of Booth delivering the
soliloquy from "Hamlet."

The tragedian suggested imitating
himself, and, hastily donning the
necessary habiliments, he went on
and delivered the well-known lines,
the audience naturally inferring it
was the character actor whom they
were looking upon.

On the following day the news-
paper stated that the "Booth imita-
tion" was vile; so bad, in fact, that
had Mr. Booth himself witnessed it,
it would have made him very sad to
know what a bad actor he really was.

THE SWATH OF TIME.

Young Man—My little sister May
was so fond of me that she followed
me everywhere, but one day, falling
over a stone in the yard, she broke
her arm and that was the last of
May.

Old Lady—Terrible; did she die?
Young Man—No, the next day
was the first of June.

THE WHOLE HOG.

Playwright—Was Grasper satis-
fied with the part assigned him in
my new play?

Manager—Was Grasper ever sat-
isfied with "part" of anything?—
Judge.

IN DOUBT.

Boarder—Why did the landlady
send me two eggs? I asked for only
one.

Maid—She probably thought one
of them might be bad, sir.

THE PASSING MUSE.

"A prominent educator says every-
body ought to read a little poetry
every day."

"Well, I read all I see in the street
cars."

DIFFERENT NOW.

"You say when you were a boy you
used to deliver orders in a grocery?"
"Yes; but now my wife deliver
the orders."

WISE TOMMIE.

"Do you know what letters of
credit are, Tommie?"
"Yes, ma'am; I O U are letters
of credit, so papa says."

HE SCORES.

"I think all married men are
beasts," declared the wife.
"They are," replied the husband
"beasts of burden."

PRACTICE.

"How'd you like to be a coal
heaver all your life?"
"Well, it ought to make things
easier in the next world."

ODD NAMES OF KAFIR "BOYS"

Varied and Ingenious Appellations
Taken by These Who Do Domest-
ic Work for The Whites.

Most of the "domestic" work in
South Africa is done by the Kafirs,
who are called "boys," no matter
what their age may be.

When the Kafir boys come from
the kraals no one ever uses their na-
tive names. As soon as they are
brought into contact with the whites
they take a "white" name. This pro-
duces results not lacking in the ele-
ments of humor.

Among the house boys "Knife,"
"Fork" and "Spoon" are common
names. "Table," "Chair," "Car-
riage," "Watch" and "Matchbox"
are others more infrequently used.
There is of record one boy who took
the utilitarian name of "Ham and
Eggs."

The Kafirs are very fond of rice
when they learn to eat it among the
whites, and one stable boy thought
he had found the finest name in the
world in "Rice."

In some respects the Kafirs are
the cleanest people in the world.
They are forever scrubbing them-
selves in hot water and anointing
themselves with oil afterward. But
the habit does not extend to their
clothes. They will take an elaborate
bath and then don clothes that never
saw the washtub.

NOTHING DOING



He—I went to a fortune teller
and asked her whom I would marry
and she described you perfectly.
She—You ought to be able to see
her for misrepresentation.

HOT AND HEAVY.

Mr. Kellogg was always teasing
his wife; it was strange that she did
not oftener suspect the pitfalls he
prepared for her. This time he came
home to dinner, and said, gravely,
"Young White's wife gave it to him
hot and heavy this morning!"

The Whites had been married but
a few months, and Mrs. Kellogg
promptly scented a scandal.

"Fighting already? How dread-
ful!" she continued. Tell me about
it."

"Oh, she just gave him one of the
biscuits she made for breakfast," re-
plied her husband.—Youth's Com-
panion.

STUDY.

"Road building requires a great
deal of study."

"Yes," replied Farmer Cornstossel;
"out our way everybody got to study-
in' how he could get a salary out of
the fund before anybody was paid
to get out an' work. The trouble
with the study of road buildin' is
that too much of it is mental arith-
metic."

AQUA FORTIS.

Texas Lady—I understand it is
very smoky and dirty in Pittsburgh,
your home.

Pittsburgh Lady—Yes, indeed;
we have to take all of our drinking
water in capsules, and as for the or-
dinary kind, it must be washed be-
fore we can use it at all.

TOO MUCH BLAST.

Brown—That orchestra at the the-
ater last night was terrible; it was
completely fossilized.

Jones—What do you mean by
that?
Brown—Why, you couldn't hear
a thing but the trombones.

BONEHEAD!

Romantic Young Thing—Will
you love me forever?

Ho—Well—er—I hardly expect to
live that long.

GOOD REASON.

Beardsley—What's the trouble,
Mac? You are looking bad.
Mac—Oh, the doctor cut out my
eye-openers.

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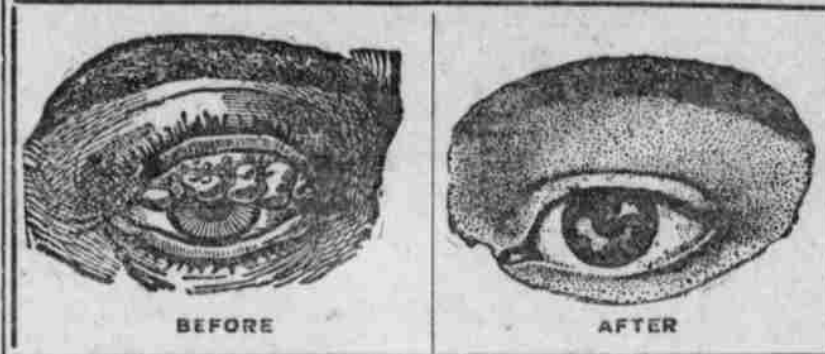
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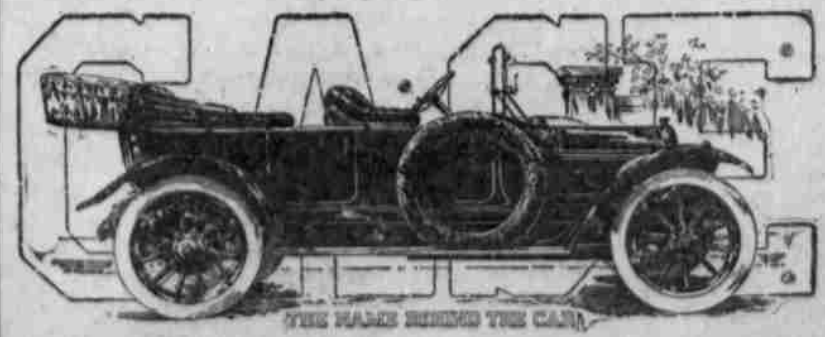
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